

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 3762** PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

JOHN KIRCHGEORG, et al.

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PORTABLE EMERGENCY OXYGEN AND AUTOMATIC **EXTERNAL** For:

DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) THERAPY SYSTEM

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2001, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1, 3-4, 6-14 and 16 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

15. Amended The system according to claim 2, wherein said covers are clear for viewing the medical equipment within said first and second compartments while said covers are positioned over said first and second openings.

19. (Amended) A system as claimed in claims 17 or 18, further comprising a voice prompting system for directing a user through a protocol employing said defibrillation system.

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